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Proposal Review Panel for International Science and Engineering; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub., L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation (NSF) announces the following meeting:

Name and Committee Code: Proposal Review Panel for International Science and Engineering - PIRE "Taming Water in Ethiopia: An Interdisciplinary Approach to Improve Human Security in a Water-Dependent Emerging Region" Site Visit (#10749).

Date and Time: April 2, 2018; 8:00 AM - 9:30 PM.
April 3, 2018; 8:00 AM - 1:30 PM.

Place: University of Connecticut – Storrs, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Castleman Building, 161 Glenbrook Road, Storrs, CT 06269.

Type of Meeting: Part Open.

Contact Person: Charles Estabrook, PIRE Program Manager, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, Virginia 22314; Telephone 703/292-7222.

Purpose of Meeting: NSF site visit to conduct a review during year 2 of the five-year award period. To conduct an in depth evaluation of performance, to assess progress towards goals, and to provide recommendations.

Agenda: See attached.

Reason for Late Notice: Due to unforeseen scheduling complications and the necessity to proceed with the review of proposals.

Reason for Closing: Topics to be discussed and evaluated during closed portions of the site review will include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; and information on personnel. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: March 12, 2018.

Crystal Robinson,
Committee Management Officer.

PIRE Site Visit Agenda – Anagnostou UCONN

Day 1 Monday, April 2, 2018

8:00 am -10 am	Introductions (OPEN) PIRE Rationale and Goals Administration, Management, and Budget Plans Review of Responses to Issues by Past Reviewers
10:00 am -10:20 am	NSF Executive Session/Break (CLOSED)
10:20 am - Noon	Research Facilities and Physical Infrastructure
Noon - 12:30 pm	NSF Executive Session (CLOSED)
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch - Discussion with Students (OPEN)
1:30 pm - 3:00 pm	Integrating Research and Education Developing Human Resources Integrating Diversity
3:00 pm - 3:30 pm	NSF Executive Session/Break (CLOSED)
3:30 pm - 4:15 pm	Partnerships
4:15 pm - 5:15 pm	Wrap up
5:15 pm - 6:15 pm	Executive Session/Break-Develop issues for clarification (CLOSED)
6:15 pm – 6:30 pm	Critical Feedback Provided to PI
6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	NSF Executive Session/Working Dinner (CLOSED) <i>Committee organizes on its own</i>

Day 2 Tuesday, April 3, 2018

8:00 am - 9:00 am	Institutional Support (Administrators and PI/Co-PIs) (CLOSED)
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Summary/Proposing Team Response to Critical Feedback (CLOSED)
10:00 am – 1:00 pm	Site Review Team Prepares Site Visit Report (CLOSED) (Working Lunch Provided)
1:00 pm - 1:30 pm	Presentation of Site Visit Report to Principal Investigator (CLOSED)